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SHOTS!

Exchanged Over a Lime Brush.

And a Kentuckian Promptly Falls Dead in Front of a Smoking Shot Gun.

The Work in Both Houses of Congress To-day of Great Importance.

A FATAL AFFRAY.

A Prominent Kentuckian Made to "Bite the Dust."

EVANSVILLE, May 19.—News just reached here of a fatal affray between Thomas Williams and Benjamin Aton, two prominent merchants of Uniontown, Ky., yesterday. The men quarrelled over the ownership of a whitewashing brush. Aton killed Williams with a shot gun.

Steamer Sunk.

CAIRO, Ill., May 19.—The steamer Buckeye State, while landing at Hickman, Ky., met with an accident and sunk on a bar opposite Hickman.

LATER.

CINCINNATI, May 19.—Private dispatches to the officers of the packet company to which the Buckeye State belongs say the damage to her is not serious; that she sank in six feet of water, and that she would soon be afloat with but little damage to freight.

WASHINGTON.

The Proceedings in the Senate and House.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—In the senate consideration of the Staten Island bridge bill was proceeded with.

Senator Logan presented in the senate to-day a substitute for the labor arbitration bill which recently passed the house. It provides that a commission of arbitration of five members be appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate to determine such differences between transportation companies and employees as many as may be submitted, the decision to have the force and effect of a decree of the court, and shall be enforced by the district court of the United States, where the difference arose.

In the house Mr. Dibble, from the committee on laws regulating the election of president reported a joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment creating and defining the office of second vice-president of the United States. Placed on the house calendar.

The house then went into a committee of the whole on the senate amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill. The house committee on territories have agreed that the senate bill providing for admission of Southern Dakota as a state should go upon the house calendar as adversely reported and that the Springer bill providing an enabling act for the entire territory should go upon the calendar as favorably reported.

The United States health bureau has official news of cholera at Bretagne and an awful death rate at Marseilles, France.

Hello! Hello!

BOSTON, May 19.—The senate yesterday passed a bill raising the tax of the telephone companies from \$30,000 to \$250,000.

Crushed to Death.

JACKSON, Mich., May 19.—Rev. Mr. Doeffle, at Norvell, was crushed to death between a wagon and the depot building to-day.

A Strike Collapsed.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The strike in the southwestern lumber district apparently collapsed. All the yards are working to-day with all the men they want. In all the places the mills have started up.

NEWARK, N. J., May 19.—Fur hat manufacturers lock out has ended.

The New Archbishop Confirmed.

QUEBEC, May 19.—Official announcement was received last night from Rome confirming Arch-Bishop Taschereau's election to the cardinalate.

Michigan Republicans.

JACKSON, Mich., May 19.—The republican central committee has decided to call the next state convention at Grand Rapids, September 1.

OIL OR CHINA.

A Fort Wayne Company Organized to Bore for Gas—How the Work is Accomplished.

Mr. R. J. Fisher has secured subscriptions sufficient to insure the organization of a company to sink a well for gas or oil here, and articles of association are prepared for record with the county recorder and secretary of state. The capital stock is \$10,000 and the work of piercing the earth will begin inside of two weeks. This task is novel and entirely new to people here.

Boring for oil is a very simple process and is conducted with but few changes, in the same manner that was in vogue when the first wells were put down in 1859. Improved machinery is of course now in use where formerly very primitive arrangements did the work; but the great principle of hammering a hole through the rock with sharp drills still holds its own. After a site has been determined upon, a derrick about seventy or eighty feet high is built of rough lumber, and adjoining are placed sheds for the engine and boilers, some little distance away and connected to the derrick by a long covered shed. This is simply a precaution in case the well should prove a "gusher," in which event the boiler fire would start a conflagration. To the engine shaft is connected a huge walking beam half in and half out of the lower part of the derrick. On the inner end of the beam is hung a screw and clamping apparatus, which being fastened to the drill, raises and drops the drill as the beam moves with the engine. The cable passes from the drill over a pulley on top of the "rig" and then down again to a rough windlass called the "bull wheel." This wheel is used only to raise and lower the tools out of the well. A smaller windlass called the "sand reel" operates the sand pump. A small forge and anvil completes the furniture of a derrick. The first move after setting up the rig is to force the drive pipe through the soft earth until bed rock is reached, and then the drilling commences. A drill complete is composed of six pieces joined in the order named: the bit, a piece of steel some three feet long, hammered at one end to a chisel point; the "auger stem," an iron bar about twelve feet long; the "jars," two iron bars linked together to give the drill play and keep the cable taut while drilling; the "sinker bar" and rope socket. Sewed together and drawn out this apparatus is from forty to sixty feet long, and when in operation the drill is lowered to the bottom of the hole and by means of the clamp is fastened to the walking beam. As the beam moves up and down the chisel point cuts away the rock. The driller twists the rope at every stroke as the hole becomes deeper, lowers the drill by means of the "temper screw." At every five or six feet the drill is hauled out and the powdered rock and water taken out with the sand pump. This is simply a long iron barrel open at the top, and in the lower bottom fitted with a valve which allows the water and sand to enter, but closes when the pump is lifted. In hard rock the bit is sharpened about every six feet. Once the hole is drilled below the water bearing rock, casing is forced down to keep the hole dry. As the drill approaches the oil bearing stratum each dump of the sand pump is carefully scanned, especially if in a new territory. Nearer and nearer to the oil sand champs the great chisel, and before it is time to empty another pump a great column of oil, mingled with gas, bursts forth from the bowels of the earth, sometimes driving the drill almost out of the well, and causing the heart of the anxious "wild-catter" to bound with delight as he realizes that his rig does not cover a "dry hole." The boiler fires are at once put out and preparations made for tubing. The tubing is some two inches in diameter and fitted at the lower end with a perforated section. Immediately above this section is placed the "packer," an apparatus that firmly closes up the space between the sides of well and the tubing. By this means the gases force the oil through the tubing to the tanks, generally placed some distance from the derrick. Sometimes, after flowing for a week or two, the well suddenly fails and is then "torpedoed." The business of torpedoing was formerly in the hands of a single company, which under cover of patents, had a complete monopoly of that branch of oil production. The torpedo is a long cylindrical can filled with nitro glycerine and fitted on the bottom with an iron rod regulating the distance from the bottom of the well where the torpedo is to rest, and at the top with a percussion

cap. When nitro glycerine was first used to shoot wells, eight quarts was thought to be a large charge, and when some daring operator dropped the weight on twenty quarts people threw up their hands in amazement. Now forty quarts is no uncommon charge. The torpedoing is done by skilled men. When once the charge is safely landed in the well, an iron weight is slipped over the taut line, and at a signal is dropped over the taut line and the operators scamper away. Nothing but a dull rumbling sound is heard and then a column of oil and water suddenly shoots from the hole far above the top of the rig, for an instant completely hiding it from sight, and the flow of oil is again started.

COL. I. B. McDONALD

Is Nominated for Joint Senator from Allen and Whitley Counties.

The joint senatorial convention met in the circuit court room at 2 o'clock. Hon. Eli W. Brown called it to order.

Before noon the Whitley county delegation held a caucus and decided by a vote of seven out of twelve votes that Hon. Wm. F. McNaghy was the choice of that county to fill the unexpired joint senatorial term of Hon. Eli W. Brown. Mr. C. M. Dawson was chosen chairman.

Mr. Dawson said he hoped his decisions would be agreeable to all and hoped that the action of the convention would be harmonious and for the welfare of the democratic party which we all love. The democratic editors were chosen secretaries.

Mr. C. E. Daseler asked permission to read this resolution:

WHEREAS, there is present in this hall a committee from the members of the various labor organizations of Fort Wayne, who desire to make an announcement in regard to the candidacy of a certain gentleman whose name has been mentioned in connection with the position of joint senator from Allen and Whitley counties; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said committee be accorded the privilege of the floor of this convention for the purpose of being heard in regard to said matter.

Mr. Henry Colerick moved the adoption of the resolution and Mr. C. A. Bookwalter then withdrew the name of Herman A. Schumann, stating that as the present office belonged to Whitley county the Knights of Labor would not seek to control the nomination but would ask the regular Allen county convention for an endorsement of Mr. Schumann.

Messrs. W. F. McNaghy, Colonel I. B. McDonald and Cyrus B. Tully were nominated for joint senator, but Mr. Tully was later withdrawn.

Mr. L. Galbreth and Mr. V. B. Spencer were chosen tellers.

Messrs. McNaghy and McDonald pledged themselves to support the nominee in spirited speeches.

The first ballot resulted: McDonald, 36; McNaghy, 18. Mr. McDonald was declared the nominee.

A FIGHTING EDITOR.

The Atlanta Constitution says the champion fighting editor of the country lives at Albuquerque, N. M. As the story goes, eleven citizens of the variety known as "toughs" came to the conclusion, a short time ago, that it was their duty, in the interest of law and order, and the purity of the ballot-box, to take the editor out and hang him.

Now, our Albuquerque journalist lived alone in a log cabin consisting of a single room with a cellar underneath. His only companion, a pet grizzly bear, occupied the cellar. On the night when the editor had good reasons to expect a visit from the reformers, he retired to the cellar and left the upper room to the grizzly.

At the hour of midnight eleven stalwart men arrived with a rope. They battered down the door and rushed in, eager for the fray. They had no light, but they rushed against their man, as they supposed. For an editor he showed unusual pluck and strength. He went for the lynchers with such activity that the fight was over in five minutes.

In the gray of early morning three men turned up in Albuquerque, each with an eye missing. One man called at the doctor's office with one foot and three fingers chewed off. The remaining seven reformers were loafing around on the streets more or less mutilated.

When the alleged facts of the fracas got out the editor became the most popular man in the Territory. His paper is doing a booming business, and he can get any office he wants. He still keeps the grizzly in the cellar ready for an emergency.

AWFUL!

Four Children Burned to Death.

The Widowed Mother Compelled to Watch the Flames Devour Her Babies,

While Her Brother is Fearfully Burned in an Attempt to Rescue Them.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Four Small Children Perish in a Burning House.

AKRON, Ohio, May 19.—The little home of Mary Mooney, a widow, three miles north of here, burned shortly before last midnight and four of Mrs. Mooney's children, the oldest twelve and the youngest four, perished in the flames. Mrs. Mooney awoke choking with smoke and snatching up the baby of two years told the other little ones to follow her. She sprang out of the window almost unhurt; the baby receiving but slight injuries. Lawrence Mooney, aged 60, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Mooney, was awakened by the children's outcry and rushed out of the house, only to be told by the frantic mother that her four little ones were still in the burning building. Both mother and uncle rushed into the flames time after time, but were beaten back, Mr. Mooney at length falling exhausted and terribly blistered, while the flesh on his hands hung in shreds. The fire caught from an overheated stove.

Big Failure.

PITTSBURGH, May 19.—Craig & Lowrie's differences here will not exceed \$40,000. Their loss at Oil City is about the same. The total will reach from \$100,000 to \$110,000. Craig says he will be able to settle in full, and has at least \$200,000 left.

Tailor's Strike.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 19.—The tailors are all out for an advance in wages. A large number of smaller firms have signed the scale. About 700 men quit.

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Wheat, 1@10 lower, and less active. No. 2 red, June, 86½@86¼. Corn, lower; Western 35@49½. Oats, unchanged and dull; Western at 37@45c.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Wheat, steady, June, 74½, July 77. Corn, strong and higher, June, 35½, July, 37½. Oats, steady, June 28½.

ABOUT COMETS.

Aristotle's idea about comets was that they were exhalations of foul air from the earth's surface, which having ascended into space could not get beyond the moon, and eventually, when the mass became large enough, it took fire and was consumed.

The idea was accepted by the ancients that they were the souls of great men on their way to Heaven. The comet which appeared in 43 B. C. was supposed to be the son of Julius Caesar.

Science investigation has shown that the theory of malignant influence will not stand the test, and statistics prove that as many catastrophes occur in periods when there is no comet as in other periods when they have been present.

There have been 600 comets recorded since the beginning of the Christian era, those antedating the telescope being such only as were visible to the naked eye. From three to six comets are usually discovered each year.

The bright or large comets do not appear with equal frequency in periods of centuries. In the sixteenth century there were twenty-three such; in the seventeenth twelve; in the eighteenth six; in the nineteenth, thus far, twenty; so that this century has a fair prospect of rivaling the sixteenth century.

It is known that the earth has on more than one occasion passed through the tail of a comet, but it was not known until after the event and no effect noticeable was produced in the passage. The nucleus of the largest comets is not more than .00001 of the diameter of the earth.—Prof. C. A. Young.

Strawberry growers in southern Indiana are somewhat discouraged at the low price for the fruit.

NEWS AND POLITICS

Picked up Around Fort Wayne About People We Know.

There are 710 prisoners in the northern penitentiary.

The natural gas excitement is on the increase in Indiana.

The Indiana Woman's Christian Temperance union held its annual convention at Bloomington on the 17th.

A large majority of the congressional delegates selected on Saturday in Attica are in favor of John E. Lamb for congress.

The Portland Sun, with commendable enterprise, issued an extra giving full particulars of the recent cyclone in that vicinity.

The Elkhart Review is authority for the statement that the office of the Middlebury Record, within a short time, will be moved to some town.

An ample gas well has been developed at Richmond by boring 280 feet. Three manufacturers will at once commence drilling for a supply of light and fuel.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen numbers 15,000 members, and has expended during the past twelve years nearly a half million of dollars in the way of benefits.

It costs a little more than twenty cents a mile to run a locomotive, on an average. A ton of coal will run them twenty-four miles, a pint of oil will run eleven miles, and a pound of waste will run 123 miles.

The grand lodge of the state of the United Order of Honor convened in annual session at 9 o'clock this morning at the hall in the Indianapolis Times building. A very large attendance is anticipated.

The news from Washington is that the Kidd-Steele contest will be determined Thursday. Major Kidd said Monday night he believed the committee would give him a favorable report. If this be true there remains but little doubt that he will be given the seat.

Mrs. Maria B. Woodworth began a camp meeting near Kokomo on Sunday and will continue a week or ten days, "as the Lord may direct." All the tents, paraphernalia and money-making adjuncts will be there, as the bills state that good board, lunch and refreshments can be obtained on the ground.

Governor Gray received a letter Monday from J. R. Garrison, acting first comptroller of the treasury at Washington, stating that there had been found due this state the sum of \$8,405.71 on account of swamp lands, and a treasury draft would be forwarded in a few days. This has been obtained as a result of the investigation of the survey and field notes by the agent appointed by Governor Gray for that purpose.

The country newspaper fraternity congratulate themselves over the new postal law recently put into force by the post-office department. It makes the taking of a paper and the refusal to pay for the same a theft, and anybody guilty of such an action is liable to criminal proceedings the same as if he had stolen goods to the amount of the subscription. Hereafter it will not be a shrewd scheme to take a paper for a year or two and then inform the publishers that you never ordered it.

The state board of finance recently received a demand for the payment of seven bonds of Indiana, aggregating \$10,000 in amount, together with interest from 1867, the entire claim being for \$25,000. They appear to be a part of the old Wabash and Erie canal bonds issued in 1846, and are signed by the proper officials, but there is no record of these bonds in the states archives, and while there is no evidence of forgery, payment will be refused, as the belief of the state officers is that all these bonds have been paid. The bonds are owned by a French lady, and in all probability suit will be instituted to enforce collection of the claim.

The Brotherhood of locomotive firemen will give their annual excursion to Warsaw on Thursday, May 27. Ample accommodations have been made to entertain the large number who will be in attendance. A dancing platform has been erected, a new steamer has just been finished and is now running on the lake, and the fishing is better than at other resorts. Altogether the trip will repay all those who may attend. Fare, \$1 for the round trip.

S. R. Alden sues Joseph France to recover real estate.

50 Latest Patterns, Men's and Boys' Suits, Coats and Vests, at \$1 each, Price & Max.

MOTHER

Is Crazy From Religious Fanaticism.

She Cuts the Throats of Her Three Little Daughters and Then Suicides.

St. Louis Police to Arrest All Anarchists and Persons Making Incendiary Speeches.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Mother Kills Her Three Children and Herself.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 19.—A terrible triple murder and suicide occurred in Lincoln county Monday night. Margaret Donnan, a widow, became crazed from religious fanaticism and cut the throats of her three daughters, aged twelve, ten and five years, and then stabbed herself to the heart. The bodies were discovered by the neighbors.

GOING FOR ANARCHISTS.

St. Louis Police Instructed to Arrest Them.

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—The police board has adopted a resolution instructing the chief of police to disperse all unlawful assemblages of anarchists at which the resistance of the law is advocated, and arrest any and all uttering incendiary speeches or inciting to riot.

DON'T WORK.

The furniture manufacturing companies, having given the eight hour system a fair trial since May 1, have resolved to return to the old plan after the 20th inst.

MUST COME TO TIME.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 19.—The health department has sued the dry goods firm of Mandel Bros. for violation of the ordinance which provided that seats must be furnished for female employees in mercantile and manufacturing establishments.

Returned to Work.

CINCINNATI, May 19.—The Hall safe and lock workers have returned to work to-day upon terms which was a compromise. It amounts to nearly 10 per cent, advance to the workmen. The furniture men are the only ones now holding out in large numbers, some of them returning. The planing mill men who have struck are not numerous.

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—Striking employees of the Northern Barb Wire company returned to work.

Nothing New Developed.

ST. LOUIS, May 19.—Lee Hunt, a hotel clerk, was the only witness examined this morning on the Maxwell trial. His testimony developed nothing new.

THE AUTHOR OF "BEN-HUR."

How Gen. Lew Wallace Writes and What He Is Doing. (Special Correspondence.)

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 18.—I saw a statement in print the other day that Gen. Lew Wallace, the author of "Ben-Hur," declares that Americans are too much in the habit of looking at things through English spectacles, reading English books and adopting English views, and that our supplementary independence is yet to be declared. I mentioned the matter to Gen. Wallace, and we had a conversation on Anglo-American well worth recording. He has no sympathy for those degenerate Americans who want to be mistaken for Englishmen.

As an author Gen. Wallace has been successful pecuniarily. His income from his books runs at \$3,500, or thereabouts, which is very fair pay for an author, though not excessive when we remember that he worked seven years on "Ben-Hur." The reading and researching was something enormous. And, then, he is a conscientious writer, writing over and over again any part that appears less than satisfactory to him. He is, without doubt, his severest critic. He is as modest an author as one ever meets. Over 50 now, the author of "Ben-Hur" began to write at 18, though only within the last few months has he devoted his time to it.

Many wonder why such a distinguished author continues to reside in this quiet little town. He tells "all inquirers that he wouldn't live anywhere else. Not every one knows, however, that Crawfordsville can boast of society as charming as can be found anywhere in the world. It is a college town, beautiful, intellectual and full of good will to its neighbors and all mankind. There is, perhaps, as little narrowness here as in any community under the sun. What better locality could be found for an author's dwelling place?

Gen. Wallace writes in the early part of the day, and walks, recreates during the remainder of the day. His lecture on Turkey upsets many of the timorous beliefs of the life and customs of the dark faced Turks. He is engaged on another book, the title of which is not yet announced even to his intimates.

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WHAT THE HANDS SHOW.

All hands are divided under seven categories—the elementary or large-palmed, the necessary or spatulate, the artistic or conical, the useful or square, the philosophical or knotty, the psychic or pointed, and the mixed hand. If the palm of the hand is meagre and narrow, it shows a weak disposition, wanting in versatility. If it is supple and of a thickness and size in proportion with the fingers and the rest of the body, it denotes aptitude and brightness of idea. If, though still supple, the moulds and general developments are too marked and gross, it denotes sensuality and egotism; and, if it is too big and too fat, it indicates a character void of refinement. The elementary hand is the first. The characteristics of this hand are thick, stiff fingers, a short thumb; generally turned back; large, broad and thick palm, very hard. This is the hand of a laborer or a stableman. Such subjects understand nothing but the grossly material aspect of things, they are inaccessible to reason. Such a hand betrays heaviness of soul, sluggish imagination and complete indifference. The spatulate hand denotes resolution. The spatulate subject possesses the instinct of self-preservation highly developed and he rules the world of beings material by natural intelligence. People with spatulate fingers make excellent colonists, for they are not rendered flighty by tastes for poetry and art. The artistic hand has three tendencies. They are the supple hand with small thumb with a medium palm, indicating love of beauty, particularly of form; large, short and thick, with a large thumb, which betrays a desire for riches, fortune and greatness, and the large and very firm hand, which denotes tendency to sensuality. The useful hand is of medium size, but inclining to large, the joints of the fingers are developed and the outer phalange square; the thumb is large and developed at the root; the palm of medium size, hollowed and firm. Perseverance, forethought, order and submission to rule, all qualities conspicuous by their absence in the artistic hand, are particularly the characteristics of the useful hand. The philosophic hand has the palm of medium size and pliable, the fingers knotted and the third phalange an obtuse cone verging on the square, having a sort of oval clubbed appearance; the thumb is large. The distinguishing characteristic of this hand is an innate tendency to search after, a love for, the absolute truth and reality of things. The rarest and most beautiful hand is the psychic hand. It is small, the palm is of medium size, the fingers without knots, the third phalange long and pointed, and the thumb small and well shaped. Those who have these hands are guided by the ideal, by the sublime, by the soul. They worship at the shrine of beauty and imagination. The mixed hand is a name given to a rather common and confusing type and a name given when the hand belongs to two or more types. Any gipsy fortune-teller will tell our correspondent what the lines in the hand designate.

There is to be a convention at Greencastle, Ind., June 2, of representative base ball men of the state, to take action in the matter of forming a state base ball league. The Greens will be represented in that convention.

EDUCATED AND EXPERIENCED.
Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., apothecaries, Lowell, Mass., who have a thorough knowledge of pharmacy, and many years practical experience in the business. It is prepared with the greatest skill and care, under the direction of the men who originated it. Hence Hood's Sarsaparilla may be depended upon as a thoroughly pure, honest and reliable medicine.

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WORTH THINKING ABOUT.

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I think Ely's Cream Balm is the best remedy for catarrh I ever saw. I never took anything that relieved me so quickly and I have not felt so well for a long time. I used to be troubled with severe headaches two or three times a week, but since using the balm have only had one and that was very light compared with the former ones.—A. J. Alcorn, agent U. P. Ry Co., Eaton, Co.
I find Ely's Cream Balm good for catarrh of long standing.—M. N. Laseley, 1984 West Chestnut St., Louisville.

Analyzing the Baking Powders.

"Royal" the only absolutely pure baking powder made.—Action of the New York State Board of Health.

Under the direction of the New York State Board of Health, eighty-four different kinds of baking powders, embracing all the brands that could be found for sale in the State, were submitted to examination and analysis by Prof. C. F. CHANDLER, a Member of the State Board and President of the New York City Board of Health, assisted by Prof. EDWARD G. LOVE, the well-known late United States Government chemist.

The official report shows that a large number of the powders examined were found to contain alum or lime; many of them to such an extent as to render them seriously objectionable for use in the preparation of human food.

Alum was found in twenty-nine samples. This drug is employed in baking powders to cheapen their cost. The presence of lime is attributed to the impure cream of tartar of commerce used in their manufacture. Such cream of tartar was also analyzed and found to contain lime and other impurities, in some samples to the extent of 93 per cent of their entire weight.

All the baking powders of the market, with the single exception of "Royal" (not including the alum and phosphate powders, which were long since discarded as unsafe or inefficient by prudent housekeepers) are made from the impure cream of tartar of commerce, and consequently contain lime to a corresponding extent.

The only baking powder yet found by chemical analysis to be entirely free from lime and absolutely pure is the "Royal." This perfect purity results from the exclusive use of cream of tartar specially refined and prepared by patent processes of the N. Y. Tartar Co., which totally remove the tartrate of lime and other impurities. The cost of this chemically pure cream of tartar is much greater than any other, and on account of this greater cost is used in no baking powder but the "Royal."

Prof. Love, who made the analyses of baking powders for the New York State Board of Health, as well as for the Government, says of the purity and wholesomeness of "Royal": "I have tested a package of 'Royal Baking Powder' which I purchased in the open market, and find it composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder of a high degree of merit, and does not contain either alum or phosphates or any injurious substances."

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For cold in head Ely's Cream Balm works like magic. It cured me of Cream Balm. I had catarrh and restored my vision for three years. The sense of smell.—E. My nose would bleed. I thought the sore would never heal. Cream Balm cured me.—Mrs. M. A. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

For 15 years I was annoyed with catarrh, and very pain in my head. It is wonderful how discharges in my Ely's Cream Balm throat and unpleasant breath; sense of smell. I suffered from impaired. I have over-come the troubles with my nose and head. For Cream Balm.—J. B. Case, a week at a time could not see. Mrs. Geo. S. way, N. Y.

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Great Reduction in Prices for 1886.

Goods are so low now that it can hardly be expected that there will be any further decline, so that those laying in full supplies will not likely be disappointed.

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Down 10c, Turkish Prunes Down 1c.

Best Rio Coffee down to 10c a pound; good Rio coffee down to 8c a pound; best Roasted Rio down to 12c a pound; Government Java, 30c; Roasted Java 25c.

TEAS Reduced in Proportion.

As no more a luxury to buy Teas. When they were \$1 and \$3 per pound then of course the consumption of them was small, but now the price is so low that a good Tea can be bought at 20c per pound then they come within the reach of all.
We are enabled to do so, so low simply in consequence of our immense trade. At times we sell two and three chests daily, and buying direct of the importers and selling direct to the consumers, enables us to save customers the profits of the jobber, speculator and wholesale merchant which is at least 10 to 20 per pound.
Young Hyson, good, 20c; choice, 30c; best 50c; Gunpowder, good, 30c; choice, 40c; best 50c; Oolong or Black Tea 20c; choice, 30c; best 50c; Japan Tea, uncolored, 35c; choice, 40c; best 50c; English Breakfast, good, 30c; best 50c per pound.

SUGARS---White and Yellow, Down 1-2c.

Choice Yellow, 5 1/2c; Best Extra C, 6c; Coffee A, Standard, 7c; Crushed and Powdered 7 1/2c; Cut Leaf and Granulated, 7 1/2c.

Syrups Reduced 10c a Gal.

Best Golden Drip, 40c per gallon; best Sorghum, 40c per gallon; best New Orleans, Molasses, 30c.

SMOKED MEATS AND PICKLED PORKS.

Best sugar cured hams, 10c per pound; Sugar cured shoulders, 6c per pound; Pickled pork 6c per pound; Breakfast bacon, best, 9c per pound.

SALT AND SMOKED FISH.

White Fish, 1/2 bbl, \$6; White Fish in kits, \$1; Family White Fish, kits, 50c; Family White Fish, 1/2 bbl, \$1.25; Mackerel in kits, 60c; good, \$1; best, \$1.60; Cat Fish, kits, \$1; Cat Fish, 1/2 bbl, \$6; 1/4 bbl, \$3.

Fish Oil, Lard Oil, Neats Foot Oil, Machine Oils and Head Light

Neats Foot Oil, 80c gallon; Fish Oil, 70c gallon; Headlight oil, 12c gallon; machine Oil dark, 20c gallon; Golden machine oil, 30c gallon.

WINES AND LIQUORS

Old 76 Whisky for medicinal use, \$2.50 per gallon; two-year old, \$1.75; one-year old, \$1.40; good new whisky, \$1.50 and \$1 per gallon; California wine, Muscoted and Angelico, 40c bottle; Port Wine per gallon, \$1.25; gallon Catauba wine, \$1; gallon Old Tom Gin, 40c; bottle Canada malt, 30c.

Candies Down---Stick and Mixed Reduced 2c per Pound.

Pure Stick Candy, 10c. per pound; French Mixed Candy, down to 10c; Bon Bons, 30c; Gum Drops, 10c; Imperial and Chocolate down to 15c per pound.

The Greatest Reduction of all is on Turkish Prunes.

Who ever heard of them selling at 4c per pound. The crop is so large at they don't pay freight and duty to ship to New York. The very best new fruit 4c per pound; new Valencia Raisins, 10c a pound; Seedless Sultana Raisins, 12c; best Leghorn Citron, 30c; new dried apples, 4c per pound; new dried peaches, 5c per pound.

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Bull Dog plug, 50c; Durham plug, 50c; Perfection plug, 35c; Hiawatha plug, 30c; Knights of Labor plug, 30c; Sweet Heart plug, 50c per pound. Fine Cut, 30, 40c, 50, best 75c. per pound. Smoking, 18c, 30c, 25c; best Durham, 35c per pound.

Choice Cigars, \$1.75 per box; good cigars, 90c and \$1 per box.

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The best mocking bird food in the world just received and kept only by Max G. Lade, Nos. 56 and 58 East Main street. All owners of mocking birds and soft bill birds can get a sample package free Wednesday and Thursday. 18-24

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Heavy Failure.

Thirty-five thousand dollars worth of clothing must be sold to satisfy the creditors. Sale Thursday, May 20, at 3 o'clock p. m., in room 3, Keystone block. 12-17

Strawberries Down 2 1-2.
Choice Wilson Berries 10c per quart.
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The Daily Sentinel

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1886.

THE CITY.

Coming, "Little Nuggets."

Mr. H. C. Hanna has not returned to Chicago.

The market space is daily crowded with hay.

Mr. Abe Arohibald has returned from Lafayette.

Mrs. J. W. Younge has returned from Huntington.

J. W. Sale, of Hoffman Bros., left for Kansas City last night.

The Fleming road scraper is doing great work on the streets.

John C. Vought, recorder of Noble county, is in the city to-day.

The Berry street M. E. church people give a social Friday evening.

Rev. Coleman, of the A. M. E. church, has gone to Lexington, Ky., on a visit.

There were four weddings and two dances putting time behind them last night.

Dr. W. H. Meyers was summoned to Andrews yesterday to attend Mrs. Sarah Rundell, who is ill.

The dime circus had another big audience last night and every seat under the tent was occupied.

The new steamer "Norman Beckley" is plowing the Warsaw lakes. It was launched yesterday.

The box sheet for Gus Williams will be opened to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Temple.

The republican county central committee is called to meet to-morrow afternoon by Mr. Will Wilson.

Toledo refused the Tri-State Veteran encampment on a silver platter and Fort Wayne will do likewise.

Pete Morgenthaler refuses to close his store at 6 o'clock, and this smashes the early closing combination.

The employees of Olde's wheel works will give their sixth annual excursion to Rome City next Saturday, the 23d.

John Reinwald has resigned his position as foreman in the Washash paint shop at Danville, Ill., and has returned to his home here.

Si Tams' vacant stable, on Hamilton street, was destroyed by fire last night. The loss was \$300. The blaze was in a very dangerous neighborhood.

T. H. King, representing the Rive-King concert company, is in the city. This excellent musical organization will be at Library hall, next week.

The Fort Wayne rifles give their first annual excursion to Rome City, Wednesday, May 26. The young men have hosts of friends and will have a great time.

"Mrs. C. H. Immel was called to Fort Wayne this morning by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Dr. J. D. Searles," says the Huntington Democrat.

Superintendent Stevens, of the Washash road, was at Attica yesterday, arranging for another excursion to that place to-day. Fifty per cent. of the gross receipts will be given to the sufferers.

Mrs. Dan McCarthy, of Taylor street, has returned from Chicago, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. R. O'Sullivan Burke, who is pleasantly located in a mansion home in the suburbs.

In the federal court at Indianapolis yesterday Joseph McDermott, the Fort Wayne boy who pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing letters from Hoffman brothers' box, was sentenced to one year in the Reform school.

"Al Slater, formerly of this city, now living in Fort Wayne, is visiting here. He ordered a stone placed on his wife's grave. Al is now a driver on a street car on the Calhoun street line," says the Huntington Democrat.

Mr. Oscar Wobrock and Miss Maggie Oppelt were married last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 26 West Superior street. The affair was quiet, but elegant and the SENTINEL sends the happy couple its best wishes.

An uncle of Clarence Cranston, living at Belmont, Mich., has threatened to commence suit against the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad for \$5,000. He claims Clarence was unjustly put off the train in April last, near Mill Creek, after tendering the conductor 25 cents for his fare, while the official claimed 30 cents. The boy says he landed in a creek on his head and sustained serious injuries.

The New York World says: "As the program announced, Gus Williams brought six car-loads of laughs to the Theatre Comique, in Harlem, last night. A large audience laughed itself tired over the versatile German comedian's comic-alities in 'Oh! What a Night,' and as those present were wending their way out of the theatre on all sides was heard the expression 'Am I in der way?' The play will be heard at the Temple opera house Friday evening.

WE are exclusive agents for Benjamin's fine summer garments. SAM, PATE & MAX.

"Odds and Ends" at the Academy to-night.

The first wool in the market came in to-day.

Hon. and Mrs. O. P. Morgan are at Washington, D. C.

Peter Fikes' horse ran away in Bloomingdale yesterday.

The weather indications for Indiana are slightly warmer, fair weather.

The announcement that "Little Nuggets" is coming is a pleasing one.

Ex-Baggage Master Fred Hollenbeck and wife sails Monday next for Europe.

Laborers are wanted at the water works office. They will have to work in water.

Frank King, agent for the Rive-King concert company was here to-day looking for a date.

"Odds and Ends" matinee at the Academy Saturday. There will be no Friday matinee.

The infant child of Fred Rolpke died yesterday, and was buried this afternoon from the house No. 6 Summit street.

Mr. Lewis Cass Hunter, the popular deputy county treasurer, was yesterday granted a patent on his farm gate by the government.

Sheriff Nelson and Marshal Meyer and their deputies raided traps yesterday, but only found four near the city. They were locked up.

Mr. A. G. Strain, Frank Friaby and J. Leach left last evening for Indianapolis, to attend the grand lodge of I. O. O. F., which is in session there.

Complaint is made that boys bathe in the gravel pit pond west on the line of Pittsburgh road to the annoyance of passengers and residents in the neighborhood.

"Judge Lowry returned from Indiana Monday and was congratulated on all sides by his friends on his nomination," says the Washington correspondent of the Indianapolis Sentinel.

Wm. Pierce and Pearl Thompson were found in illicit embrace in a room at No. 24 East Main street, and Capt. Diehl accepted bail. They paid \$14 each at police court this morning.

C. M. Jones, R. B. Rossington, A. H. W. Kiser and E. G. Anderson were at Rome City yesterday attending the annual meeting of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Mutual Benefit association.

The wedding of George Frank Shatt and Miss Benedict, of Portland, has been indefinitely postponed. Notice to that effect was received in this city. Miss Benedict was formerly a conservatory pupil.

Mr. P. D. Smyser's fine bay horse ran away at the south depot last night and the vehicle came near whirling into Harmon's restaurant. Mr. Smyser and Willis Bash were spilled out, but were not injured.

The Allen County Gun club will hold a one day tournament at Whites range on Friday, May 28. The national rules will govern all contests, and professionals will be barred. An entrance fee of \$2 is charged and cash prizes are offered.

Building permits have been allowed to Wm. J. Barr to erect a frame barn on lot 105 Williams avenue, to cost \$75, and to Henry Israel, to construct a wagon shed on lot 190, Ewing & Noll's addition, to cost \$25.

Mrs. D. D. Spurrier and Mrs. C. Cran left Monday for Indianapolis to attend the convention of the Daughters of Rebekah of I. O. O. F., which met in the Grand lodge hall yesterday. Mrs. Spurrier is warden of the state society.

The Highland Baptist church has called a council of delegates from all the Baptist churches in the Fort Wayne association to meet with them on May 20, at 2 p. m., to ordain Rev. Mr. Bragg, their pastor, in the work of the gospel ministry.

Samuel F. Hollopeter and Emma E. Fry, E. H. Gerndon and Mary Meyer, George Grigsby and Flora Knight, Oscar Wobrock and Agnes B. Oppelt, E. J. Daugherty and Mattie Pratt, Michael L. Lauer and Amelia F. Greve, Charles H. Winkler and Catherine Staff have been licensed to wed.

The German Catholic Central union of the United States, comprising 375 societies, hold a general convention at Toledo, September 5. Peter J. Mettler, formerly of this city, is a member of the arrangement committee. In all probability the Catholic Knights of America will hold their state council at the same time, in which event the two societies will unite in the grand parade, which is to take place on Monday, September 6.

At the annual meeting of the Mutual Benefit association of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, at Rome City, yesterday, the following officers were elected: President, W. H. McCullough, Grand Rapids; first vice-president, J. W. Hunter, Fort Wayne; second vice-president, S. B. Gage, Kalamazoo; third vice president, R. H. Harrison, Fort Wayne; secretary, C. M. Jones, Fort Wayne; treasurer, R. B. Rossington, Fort Wayne; executive committee, C. D. Mohr, Grand Rapids; J. K. McCracken, J. T. Leach, S. C. Henderson, Fort Wayne, and W. S. McCormick, Grand Rapids.

500 Boys' Blue, Gray and Brown Suits, \$1.25 and \$1.50 SAM, PATE & MAX.

Auditor Greibel sues Wm. Geary jr. for \$2,000.

Frank Schell left to-day for Kansas City and other western points on a prospecting tour.

Mr. Mart Fay, the commission merchant, is spending a few days in Cincinnati on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Daugherty and Walter M. Hodge, of St. Louis, attended the Daugherty-Pratt nuptials.

Gottlieb Kramer and Sophia Felger, George Hohnhous and Minnie Engleking, Debert Shair and Alice Van Allen have been licensed to wed.

Leopold Wolf, the Broadway butcher, has returned from Lansing, Mich., where he again married his wife, Mrs. Bessie Wolf. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf have two pretty babies and are living happily again.

Benjamin Taylor, John Kelly, Robert Robinson, John Smith, George Smith and Tom Overly were fined \$13 each for drunkenness by the mayor this morning. Taylor, Kelly and Overly went to jail in default of cash. The others paid.

Miss Etta Bittle, a charming young lady, of Irvington, Ind., who visited Miss Grace Hayden here last summer, was married to-day at the above place, to a wealthy young farmer, of Wayne-town, Ind. The young couple will make their future home in Waynetown.

In a meeting of the clothing salesmen and merchant tailors at the circuit court room last evening, resolutions were adopted thanking the Knights of Labor for the interest taken by them in their cause and their unanimous endorsement of the salesmen's petition to close the stores at 6 o'clock.

Mr. C. Trenkle has been annoyed by youthful females who persist in attaching themselves to his floral decorations. Mrs. Trenkle has for a number of years labored to cultivate some valuable plants, and the indignation at the depredations of the youngsters knows no bounds. They must be careful, as on their next onslaught they will fare badly.

At a joint meeting of all the assemblies of the Knights of Labor of this city, last evening, resolutions were passed endorsing the clothing salesmen and merchant tailors in their endeavors to have all the stores in their line to close at six o'clock, excepting Saturdays. The clerks being laboring men, as well as others, the Knights naturally take an interest in their cause.

There was a meeting of the clothing clerks and their employers last evening in the circuit court room. The meeting, like all preceding ones, was enthusiastic. It is hoped by all concerned that the movement will soon be successful. All clothing merchants and merchant tailors, with the exception of one clothier, have signed the agreement, and the stores will probably be kept open until he signs.

STRICKEN DOWN.

Wm. Chamberlain Drops With Apoplexy at His Desk.

Mr. Wm. Chamberlain was stricken with apoplexy at his desk in Supt. C. D. Law's office shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Chamberlain was very fleshy and the appearance of the gentleman seemed to indicate a predisposition to the disease that overtook him. He has lived here all his life and every one knew and liked Billy Chamberlain, whose affliction will be mourned by a host of friends.

At last accounts Mr. Chamberlain was rallying and he may recover.

MASON LONG,

The Fort Wayne Evangelist out in Iowa.

The Des Moines Leader. Mason Long, the reformed gambler, spoke to quite a crowd of people in front of the court house last evening. His chief topic was the alleged evils of dancing. He took up the customary collection and sold a number of copies of his book. Mr. Long's drawing card is a trio of well trained voices. These gentlemen sing well known secular and sacred songs, and sing them so well that the crowd braves the contribution box and stays out the show. Mr. Long is a very good talker, but he seems to entertain very peculiar ideas of the forces that rule the social fabric.

A gentleman named Phillips, who served with the reformed gambler, Mason Long, in the 112th Illinois infantry, was found at the Kirkwood last evening. He assured a reporter that he knew Mr. Long in the army, that he was a good soldier but an inveterate gambler, who generally gathered in his comrades' wealth through the delusive game of chuck-a-luck and other seductive games. Since the war Mr. Phillips states that Mason Long has sincerely repented of his sinfulness and reformed. His old comrades in arms believe Mr. Long to be honorable in his present professions of good, and cheerfully recommends him as a generous-hearted, intelligent and Christian gentleman.

G. A. R. Suits, Indigo colors, \$8 \$10 \$12. SAM, PATE & MAX.

THREE OF 'EM.
Broadway has a Few Lively Runaways.

Louis Rastetter's carriage horse ran away on Broadway this morning and smashed the carriage, hanging the top on a lamp post at the Pittsburgh railroad. The horse then made a bee line for Leykauf's bakery and would have gone into that place but for the running gears of the carriage which were still attached to the horse, catching on a shade tree. This circus frightened Leykauf's horse and Fleischmann's yeast cart horse and they dashed north on Broadway. Leykauf's horse stopped at his usual oat box, and Joe Erwin, of THE SENTINEL, stopped Fleischmann's steed and shut off the possibility of planting yeast about town and swelling the municipality. Altogether, Broadway presented a lively appearance this morning.

At the convention of the Daughters of Rebekah, at Indianapolis, yesterday, Mrs. Malinda Spurrier, of this city, was chosen secretary. The report of the Colfax monument committee was read. It showed that up to date \$2,088 has been subscribed to the fund. A constitution for the government of the convention was adopted, and a resolution was adopted requesting the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., to instruct its representatives to the sovereign grand lodge to ask that body to prepare a funeral ceremony to be used at the burial of Daughters of Rebekah.

An Artistic Piece of Work.

Wm. Yergens, jr., has just finished painting his father's residence, and the taste and workmanship displayed in the execution of the work has elicited only words of commendation and praise. Who the artist was, was not hard to tell, as was remarked by one observer. "Why you can see Yergens' hand in that job; the mixing of the colors shows plainly who did the work. I am a painter myself, but I give way to Yergens as a color mixer, and I would actually give him \$25 to mix my colors." As a wall paper decorator he can't be beat either. He is selling off his present stock of wall paper at 10 per cent. below former prices to get ready to move to more spacious quarters. When you contemplate papering or painting consult Wm. Yergens, jr., 136 Broadway, and you will never regret it.

Heavy Failure.

Great bankrupt sale of Clothing, commencing Thursday, May 20, at 3 o'clock p. m. in room No. 3, Keystone block. This stock is from a large clothing factory which recently failed in New York, and must be sold to satisfy the creditors. Do not miss this rare opportunity to secure the greatest bargains in clothing ever offered. 12-4-17-18

Geraniums, 40c a doz., at the City Green House. april23rd

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Fresh Eggs 9c per dozen.
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27 CALHOUN STREET.

25 cents for Balbriggan Shirts at SAM, PATE & MAX. **2.50** All Wool Kilt Suits, newest designs, SAM, PATE & MAX.

Orange Blossoms.
The nuptials of Miss Mattie Pratt, of this city, and Mr. E. J. Daugherty, of Indianapolis, were celebrated at the Cathedral this morning by Vicar General J. H. Brammer, in the presence of several hundred of the immediate friends of the bride, comprising the wealth, fashion and culture of our people. The ceremony was appointed for 10 o'clock, but another couple held the boards until 10:15, so that the bridal procession, to the happy strains of the wedding march, did not appear until 10:30. All eyes were bent, of course, upon the beautiful bride, who never looked more charming than she did upon this occasion, leaning on the arm of her manly betrothed. The beautifully solemn and impressive services of the Roman Catholic ritual consumed forty minutes, after which the bridal party took carriage for the residence of Judge Pratt, No. 20 Douglass avenue, where the high contracting parties held an informal reception. The bride was attired in a lead colored traveling dress with English hat and feathers to match.

The combination, proportion, and process in preparing Hood's Sarsaparilla, are peculiar to this medicine, and unknown to others.

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WHOLESALE and RETAIL.



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Have now in stock a new arrival of **125 BABY CARRIAGES.** All new styles. \$3.00 carriages out down to \$2.50; \$8.50 out down to \$5.00; \$9.00 to \$7.00; \$10.00 to \$8.00; \$12.00 to \$9.00; \$18.00 to \$12.00. All carriages cut, as we must sell a large lot on hand to make room for still more of the same styles coming. Remember we have the exclusive sale of the Whitney Carriage, the best and cheapest in the world. Our stock of bird cages, boys' wagons, velocipedes, tricycles,

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Exchanged Over a Lime Brush.

And a Kentuckian Promptly Falls Dead in Front of a Smoking Shot Gun.

The Work in Both Houses of Congress To-day of Great Importance.

A FATAL AFFRAY.

A Prominent Kentuckian Made to "Bite the Dust."

EVANSVILLE, May 19.—News just reached here of a fatal affray between Thomas Williams and Benjamin Aton, two prominent merchants of Uniontown, Ky., yesterday. The men quarrelled over the ownership of a whitewashing brush. Aton killed Williams with a shot gun.

Steamer Sunk.

CAIRO, Ill., May 19.—The steamer Buckeye State, while landing at Hickman, Ky., met with an accident and sunk on a bar opposite Hickman.

LATER.

CINCINNATI, May 19.—Private dispatches to the officers of the packet company to which the Buckeye State belongs say the damage to her is not serious; that she sank in six feet of water, and that she would soon be afloat with but little damage to freight.

WASHINGTON.

The Proceedings in the Senate and House.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—In the senate consideration of the States Island bridge bill was proceeded with.

Senator Logan presented in the senate to-day a substitute for the labor arbitration bill which recently passed the house. It provides that a commission of arbitration of five members be appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate to determine such differences between transportation companies and employees as many as may be submitted, the decision to have the force and effect of a decree of the court, and shall be enforced by the district court of the United States, where the difference arose.

In the house Mr. Dibble, from the committee on laws relating the election of president reported a joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment creating and defining the office of second vice-president of the United States. Placed on the house calendar.

The house then went into a committee of the whole on the senate amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill.

The house committee on territories have agreed that the senate bill providing for admission of Southern Dakota as a state should go upon the house calendar as adversely reported, and that the Springer bill providing an enabling act for the entire territory should go upon the calendar as favorably reported.

The United States health bureau has official news of cholera at Bretagne and an awful death rate at Marseilles, France.

Hello! Hello!

Boston, May 19.—The senate yesterday passed a bill raising the tax of the telephone companies from \$30,000 to \$250,000.

Crushed to Death.

JACKSON, Mich., May 19.—Rev. Mr. Doefle, at Norvell, was crushed to death between a wagon and the depot building to-day.

A Strike Collapsed.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The strike in the southwestern lumber district apparently collapsed. All the yards are working to-day with all the men they want. In all the places the mills have started up.

NEWARK, N. J., May 19.—Four hat manufacturers lock out has ended.

The New Archbishop Confirmed.

QUEBEC, May 19.—Official announcement was received last night from Rome confirming Arch-Bishop Taschereau's election to the cardinalate.

Michigan Republicans.

JACKSON, Mich., May 19.—The republican central committee has decided to call the next state convention at Grand Rapids, September 1.

OIL OR CHINA.

A Fort Wayne Company Organized to Bore for Gas—How the Work is Accomplished.

Mr. R. J. Fisher has secured subscriptions sufficient to insure the organization of a company to sink a well for gas or oil here, and articles of association are prepared for record with the county recorder and secretary of state. The capital stock is \$10,000 and the work of piercing the earth will begin inside of two weeks. This task is novel and entirely new to people here.

Boring for oil is a very simple process and is conducted with but few changes, in the same manner that was in vogue when the first wells were put down in 1859. Improved machinery is of course now in use where formerly very primitive arrangements did the work; but the great principle of hammering a hole through the rock with sharp drills still holds its own. After a site has been determined upon, a derrick about seventy or eighty feet high is built of rough lumber, and adjoining are placed sheds for the engine and boilers, some little distance away and connected to the derrick by a long covered shed. This is simply a precaution in case the well should prove a "gusher," in which event the boiler fire would start a conflagration. To the engine shaft is connected a huge walking beam half in and half out of the lower part of the derrick. On the inner end of the beam is hung a screw and clamping apparatus, which being fastened to the drill, raises and drops the drill as the beam moves with the engine. The cable passes from the drill over a pulley on top of the "rig" and then down again to a rough windlass called the "bull wheel." This wheel is used only to raise and lower the tools out of the well. A smaller windlass called the "sand reel" operates the sand pump.

A small forge and anvil completes the furniture of a derrick. The first move after setting up the rig is to force the drive pipe through the soft earth until bed rock is reached, and then the drilling commences. A drill complete is composed of six pieces jointed in the order named: the bit, a piece of steel some three feet long, hammer at one end to a chisel point; the "auger stem," an iron bar about twelve feet long; the "jars," two iron bars linked together to give the drill play and keep the cable taut while drilling; the "sinker bar" and rope socket. Borrowed together and drawn out this apparatus is from forty to sixty feet long, and when in operation the drill is lowered to the bottom of the hole and by means of the clamp is fastened to the walking beam. As the beam moves up and down the chisel point cuts away the rock. The driller twists the rope at every stroke as the hole becomes deeper, lowers the drill by means of the "temper screw." At every five or six feet the drill is hauled out and the powdered rock and water taken out with the sand pump. This is simply a long iron barrel open at the top, and in the lower bottom fitted with a valve which allows the water and sand to enter, but closes when the pump is lifted. In hard rock the bit is sharpened about every six feet. Once the hole is drilled below the water bearing rock, casing is forced down to keep the hole dry. As the drill approaches the oil bearing stratum each dump of the sand pump is carefully scanned, especially if in a new territory. Nearer and nearer to the oil sand champs the great chisel, and before it is time to empty another pump a great column of oil, mingled with gas, bursts forth from the bowels of the earth, sometimes driving the drill almost out of the well, and causing the heart of the anxious "wild-catter" to bound with delight as he realizes that his rig does not cover a "dry hole." The boiler fire is at once put out and preparations made for tubing. The tubing is some two inches in diameter and fitted at the lower end with a perforated section. Immediately above this section is placed the "packer," an apparatus that firmly closes up the space between the sides of the well and the tubing. By this means the gases force the oil through the tubing to the tanks, generally placed some distance from the derrick. Sometimes, after flowing for a week or two, the well suddenly fails and is then "torpedoed." The business of torpedoing was formerly in the hands of a single company, which under cover of patents, had a complete monopoly of that branch of oil production. The torpedo was a long cylindrical can filled with nitro glycerine and fitted on the bottom with an iron rod regulating the distance from the bottom of the well where the torpedo is to rest, and at the top with a percussion

cap. When nitro glycerine was first used to shoot wells, eight quarts was thought to be a large charge, and when some daring operator dropped the weight on twenty quarts people threw up their hands in amazement. Now forty quarts is no uncommon charge. The torpedoing is done by skilled men. When once the charge is safely landed in the well, an iron weight is slipped over the taut line, and at a signal is dropped over the taut line and the operators scamper away. Nothing but a dull rumbling sound is heard and then a column of oil and water suddenly shoots from the hole far above the top of the rig, for an instant, completely blinding it from sight, and the flow of oil is again started.

COL. J. B. McDONALD

Is Nominated for Joint Senator from Allen and Whitley Counties.

The joint senatorial convention met in the circuit court room at 2 o'clock. Hon. Eli W. Brown called it to order.

Before noon the Whitley county delegation held a caucus and decided by a vote of seven out of twelve votes that Hon. Wm. F. McNaggy was the choice of that county to fill the unexpired joint senatorial term of Hon. Eli W. Brown. Mr. C. M. Dawson was chosen chairman.

Mr. Dawson said he hoped his decisions would be agreeable to all and hoped that the action of the convention would be harmonious and for the welfare of the democratic party which we all love. The democratic editors were chosen secretaries.

Mr. C. E. Daseker asked permission to read this resolution:

WHEREAS, there is present in this hall a committee from the members of the various labor organizations of Fort Wayne, who desire to make an announcement in regard to the candidacy of a certain gentleman whose name has been mentioned in connection with the position of joint senator from Allen and Whitley counties; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said committee be accorded the privilege of the floor of this convention for the purpose of being heard in regard to said matter.

Mr. Henry Colerick moved the adoption of the resolution and Mr. C. A. Bookwalter then withdrew the name of Herman A. Schumann, stating that as the present office belonged to Whitley county the Knights of Labor would not seek to control the nomination but would ask the regular Allen county convention for an endorsement of Mr. Schumann.

Messrs. W. F. McNaggy, Colonel I. B. McDonald and Cyrus B. Tully were nominated for joint senator, but Mr. Tully was later withdrawn.

Mr. L. Galbreth and Mr. V. B. Spencer were chosen tellers.

Messrs. McNaggy and McDonald pledged themselves to support the nominee in spirited speeches.

The first ballot resulted: McDonald, 36; McNaggy, 18. Mr. McDonald was declared the nominee.

A FIGHTING EDITOR.

The Atlanta Constitution says the champion fighting editor of the country lives at Albuquerque, N. M. As the story goes, eleven citizens of the variety known as "toughs" came to the conclusion, a short time ago, that it was their duty, in the interest of law and order, and the purity of the ballot-box, to take the editor out and hang him.

Now, our Albuquerque journalist lived alone in a log cabin consisting of a single room with a cellar underneath. His only companion, a pet grizzly bear, occupied the cellar. On the night when the editor had good reasons to expect a visit from the reformers, he retired to the cellar and left the upper room to the grizzly.

At the hour of midnight eleven stalwart men arrived with a rope. They battered down the door and rushed in, eager for the fray. They had no light, but they rushed against their man, as they supposed. For an editor he showed unusual pluck and strength. He went for the lynchers with such activity that the fight was over in five minutes.

In the gray of early morning three men turned up in Albuquerque, each with an eye missing. One man called at the doctor's office with one foot and three fingers chewed off. The remaining seven reformers were loading around on the streets more or less mutilated.

When the alleged facts of the fracas got out the editor became the most popular man in the Territory. His paper is doing a booming business, and he can get any office he wants. He still keeps the grizzly in the cellar ready for an emergency.

AWFUL!

Four Children Burned to Death.

The Widowed Mother Compelled to Watch the Flames Devour Her Babies.

While Her Brother is Fearfully Burned in an attempt to Rescue Them.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Four Small Children Perish in a Burning House.

AERON, Ohio, May 19.—The little home of Mary Mooney, a widow, three miles north of here, burned shortly before last midnight and four of Mrs. Mooney's children, the oldest twelve and the youngest four, perished in the flames. Mrs. Mooney awoke choking with smoke and snatching up the baby of two years told the other little ones to follow her. She sprang out of the window almost unhurt; the baby receiving but slight injuries. Lawrence Mooney, aged 60, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Mooney, was awakened by the children's outcry and rushed out of the house, only to be told by the frantic mother that her four little ones were still in the burning building. Both mother and uncle rushed into the flames time after time, but were beaten back, Mr. Mooney at length falling exhausted and terribly blistered, while the flesh on his hands hung in shreds. The fire caught from an overheated stove.

Big Failure.

PITTSBURGH, May 19.—Craig & Lowrie's differences here will not exceed \$40,000. Their loss at Oil City is about the same. The total will reach from \$100,000 to \$110,000. Craig says he will be able to settle in full, and has at least \$200,000 left.

Tailor's Strike.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 19.—The tailors are all out for an advance in wages. A large number of smaller firms have signed the scale. About 700 men quit.

THE MARKETS.

New York, May 19.—Wheat, $\frac{1}{2}$ @ $\frac{3}{4}$ lower, and less active. No. 2 red, June, 86 $\frac{1}{2}$ @87 $\frac{1}{2}$. Corn, lower; Western 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ @36 $\frac{1}{2}$. Oats, unchanged and dull; Western at 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ @38 $\frac{1}{2}$.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 19.—Wheat, steady, June, 74 $\frac{1}{2}$, July 77. Corn, strong and higher, June, 35 $\frac{1}{2}$, July, 37 $\frac{1}{2}$. Oats, steady, June 28 $\frac{1}{2}$.

ABOUT COMETS.

Aristotle's idea about comets was that they were exhalations of foul air from the earth's surface, which having ascended into space could not get beyond the moon, and eventually, when the mass became large enough, it took fire and was consumed.

The idea was accepted by the ancients that they were the souls of great men on their way to Heaven. The comet which appeared in 43 B. C. was supposed to be the soul of Julius Caesar.

Science investigation has shown that the theory of malignant influence will not stand the test, and statistics prove that as many catastrophes occur in periods when there is no comet as in other periods when they have been present.

There have been 600 comets recorded since the beginning of the Christian era, those antedating the telescope being such only as were visible to the naked eye. From three to six comets are usually discovered each year.

The bright or large comets do not appear with equal frequency in periods of centuries. In the sixteenth century there were twenty-three such; in the seventeenth twelve; in the eighteenth six; in the nineteenth, thus far, twenty; so that this century has a fair prospect of rivaling the sixteenth century.

It is known that the earth has on more than one occasion passed through the tail of a comet, but it was not known until after the event and no effect noticeable was produced in the passage. The nucleus of the largest comets is not more than .00001 of the diameter of the earth.—Prof. C. A. Young.

Strawberry growers in southern Indiana are somewhat discouraged at the low price for the fruit.

NEWS AND POLITICS

Picked up Around Fort Wayne About People We Know.

There are 710 prisoners in the northern penitentiary.

The natural gas excitement is on the increase in Indiana.

The Indiana Woman's Christian Temperance union held its annual convention at Bloomington on the 17th.

A large majority of the congressional delegates selected on Saturday in Attica are in favor of John E. Lamb for congress.

The Portland Sun, with commendable enterprise, issued an extra giving full particulars of the recent cyclone in that vicinity.

The Elkhart Review is authority for the statement that the office of the Mid-Indiana Review, within a short time, will be moved to some town.

An ample gas well has been developed at Richmond by boring 280 feet. Three manufacturers will at once commence drilling for a supply of light and fuel.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen numbers 15,000 members, and has expended during the past twelve years nearly a half million of dollars in the way of benefits.

It costs a little more than twenty cents a mile to run a locomotive, on an average. A ton of coal will run them twenty-four miles, a pint of oil will run eleven miles, and a pound of waste will run 128 miles.

The grand lodge of the state of the United Order of Honor convened in annual session at 9 o'clock this morning at the hall in the Indianapolis Times building. A very large attendance is anticipated.

The news from Washington is that the Kidd-Steele contest will be determined Thursday. Major Kidd said Monday night he believed the committee would give him a favorable report. If this be true there remains but little doubt that he will be given the seat.

Mrs. Maria B. Woodworth began a camp meeting near Kokomo on Sunday and will continue a week or ten days, "as the Lord may direct." All the tents, paraphernalia and money-making adjuncts will be there, as the bills state that good board, lunch and refreshments can be obtained on the ground.

Governor Gray received a letter Monday from J. R. Garrison, acting first comptroller of the treasury at Washington, stating that there had been found due this state the sum of \$8,405.71 on account of swamp lands, and a treasury draft would be forwarded in a few days. This has been obtained as a result of the investigation of the survey and field notes by the agent appointed by Governor Gray for that purpose.

The country newspaper fraternity congratulates themselves over the new postal law recently put into force by the post-office department. It makes the taking of a paper and the refusal to pay for the same a theft, and anybody guilty of such an action is liable to criminal proceedings the same as if he had stolen goods to the amount of the subscription. Hereafter it will not be a shrewd scheme to take a paper for a year or two and then inform the publishers that you never ordered it.

The state board of finance recently received a demand for the payment of seven bonds of Indiana, aggregating \$10,000 in amount, together with interest from 1867, the entire claim being for \$25,000. They appear to be a part of the old Wabash and Erie canal bonds issued in 1846, and are signed by the proper officials, but there is no record of these bonds in the states archives, and while there is no evidence of forgery, payment will be refused, as the belief of the state officers is that all these bonds have been paid. The bonds are owned by a French lady, and in all probability suit will be instituted to enforce collection of the claim.

The Brotherhood of locomotive firemen will give their annual excursion to Warsaw on Thursday, May 27. Ample accommodations have been made to entertain the large number who will be in attendance. A dancing platform has been erected, a new steamer has just been finished and is now running on the lake, and the fishing is better than at other resorts. Altogether the trip will repay all those who may attend. Fare, \$1 for the round trip.

S. R. Alden sues Joseph Franco to recover real estate.

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Latest Patterns, Men's and Boys' Suits, Coats and Vests, at \$1 and up. SAM, PATZ & MAX.

MOTHER

Is Crazy From Religious Fanaticism.

She Cuts the Throats of Her Three Little Daughters and Then Suicides.

St. Louis Police to Arrest all Anarchists and Persons Making Incendiary Speeches.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Mother Kills Her Three Children and Herself.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 19.—A terrible triple murder and suicide occurred in Lincoln county Monday night. Margaret Donnan, a widow, became crazed from religious fanaticism and cut the throats of her three daughters, aged twelve, ten and five years, and then stabbed herself to the heart. The bodies were discovered by the neighbors.

GOING FOR ANARCHISTS.

St. Louis Police Instructed to Arrest Them.

St. Louis, May 19.—The police board has adopted a resolution instructing the chief of police to disperse all unlawful assemblies of anarchists at which the resistance of the law is advocated, and arrest any and all uttering incendiary speeches or inciting to riot. DON'T WORK.

The furniture manufacturing companies, having given the eight hour system a fair trial since May 1, have resolved to return to the old plan after the 20th inst.

MUST COME TO TIME.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 19.—The health department has moved the dry goods firm of Mandel Bros. for violation of the ordinance which provided that seats must be furnished for female employees in mercantile and manufacturing establishments.

Returned to Work.

CINCINNATI, May 19.—The Hall safe and lock workers have returned to work to-day upon terms which was a compromise. It amounts to nearly 10 per cent. advance to the workmen. The furniture men are the only ones now holding out in large numbers, some of them returning. The planing mill men who have struck are not numerous. St. Louis, May 19.—Striking employees of the Northern Barb Wire company returned to work.

Nothing New Developed.

St. Louis, May 19.—Lee Hunt, a hotel clerk, was the only witness examined this morning on the Maxwell trial. His testimony developed nothing new.

THE AUTHOR OF "HEN-HUR."

How Gen. Lew Wallace Writes and What He Is Doing. (Special Correspondence.)

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 18.—I saw a statement in print the other day that Gen. Lew Wallace, the author of "Ben-Hur," declares that Americans are too much in the habit of looking at things through English spectacles, reading English books and adopting English views, and that our supplementary independence is yet to be declared. I mentioned the matter to Gen. Wallace, and we had a conversation on Anglo-American well worn recording. He has no sympathy for those degenerate Americans who want to be mistaken for Englishmen.

As an author Gen. Wallace has been successful peculiarly. His income from his books runs at \$3,500, or thereabouts, which is very fair pay for an author, though not excessive when we remember that he worked seven years on "Ben-Hur." The reading and researching was something enormous. And, then, he is a conscientious writer, writing over and over again any part that appears less than satisfactory to him. He is, without doubt, his severest critic. He is as modest an author as one ever meets. Over 60 now, the author of "Ben-Hur" began to write at 18, though only within the last few months has he devoted his time to it.

Many wonder why such a distinguished author continues to reside in this quiet little town. He tells all inquires that he wouldn't live anywhere else. Not every one knows, however, that Crawfordsville can boast of society as charming as can be found anywhere in the world. It is a college town, beautiful, intellectual and full of good will to its neighbors and all mankind. There is, perhaps, as little narrowness here as in any community under the sun. What better locality could be found for an author's dwelling place?

Gen. Wallace writes in the early part of the day, and walks, recreates during the remainder of the day. His lecture on Turkey upsets many of the timorous beliefs of the life and customs of the dark forest Turks. He is engaged on another book, the title of which is not yet announced even to his intimates.

WANTED—An experienced hotel cook. Inquiries at the Revlon house, No. 21 Harrison street. J. H. H.

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Baked Sweet Potatoes Canned.
Figs Preserved.
Fine Apple Shredded, something new.
Gotha Truffle Sausage.
Chipped Beef in Cans.
White Port Wine, strictly pure.
G. H. Mumma Extra Dry Champagne.
Virginia Jellies, warranted pure.
Aug. 15-ly

Staub Bros. are agents for Hot Air Furnaces, No 16 East Columbia street. 24-mws

The best mocking bird food in the world just received and kept only by Max G. Lade, No. 56 and 58 East Main street. All owners of mocking birds and soft bill birds can get a sample package free Wednesday and Thursday. 18-21

The finest and cheapest at the City Green House. april23th

Heavy Failure.

Thirty-five thousand dollars worth of clothing must be sold to satisfy the creditors. Sale Thursday, May 20, at 3 o'clock p. m., in room 8, Keystone block. 12-1f

Strawberries Down 2 1-2.

Choice Wilson Berries 10c per quart.
Choice Pine Apples 20c each.
Fruit House.

Gasoline.

Vordermark sells the odorless and non-explosive IXL Gasoline. Orders will be promptly attended to by Telephone No. 128. april29 1m

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Hose, Bells, Caps, all colors at Sam, Patz & Max.

The Daily Sentinel

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1886.

THE CITY.

Coming, "Little Nuggets."
Mr. H. C. Hanna has not returned to Chicago.

The market space is daily crowded with hay.

Mr. Abe Archibald has returned from Lafayette.

Mrs. J. W. Young has returned from Huntington.

J. W. Sale, of Hoffman Bros., left for Kansas City last night.

The Fleming road scraper is doing great work on the streets.

John C. Vought, recorder of Noble county, is in the city to-day.

The Berry street M. E. church people give a social Friday evening.

Rev. Coleman, of the A. M. E. church, has gone to Lexington, Ky., on a visit.

There were four weddings and two dances putting time behind them last night.

Dr. W. H. Meyers was summoned to Andrews yesterday to attend Mrs. Sarah Rundell, who is ill.

The dime circus had another big audience last night and every seat under the tent was occupied.

The new steamer "Norman Beckley" is plowing the Warsaw lakes. It was launched yesterday.

The box sheet for Gus Williams will be opened to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Temple.

The republican county central committee is called to meet to-morrow afternoon by Mr. Will Wilson.

Toledo refused the Tri-State Veterans encampment on a silver platter and Fort Wayne will do likewise.

Pete Morgenthau refuses to close his store at 6 o'clock, and this smashes the early closing combination.

The employees of Olds' wheel works will give their sixth annual excursion to Rome City next Saturday, the 22d.

John Reinwald has resigned his position as foreman in the Wabash paint shop at Danville, Ill., and has returned to his home here.

St. Tams' vacant stable, on Hamilton street, was destroyed by fire last night. The loss was \$300. The blaze was in a very dangerous neighborhood.

T. H. King, representing the Rive-King concert company, is in the city. This excellent musical organization will be at Library hall, next week.

The Fort Wayne rifles give their first annual excursion to Rome City, Wednesday, May 26. The young men have hosts of friends and will have a great time.

"Mrs. C. H. Immel was called to Fort Wayne this morning by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Dr. J. D. Searles," says the Huntington Democrat.

Superintendent Stevens, of the Wabash road, was at Attica yesterday, arranging for another excursion to that place to-day. Fifty per cent. of the gross receipts will be given to the sufferers.

Mrs. Dan McCarthy, of Taylor street, has returned from Chicago, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. R. O'Sullivan Burke, who is pleasantly located in a mansion home in the suburbs.

In the federal court at Indianapolis yesterday Joseph McDermott, the Fort Wayne boy who pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing letters from Hoffman brothers' box, was sentenced to one year in the Reform school.

"Al. Slater, formerly of this city, now living in Fort Wayne, is visiting here. He ordered a stone placed on his wife's grave. Al. is now a driver on a street car on the Calhoun street line," says the Huntington Democrat.

Mr. Oscar Wubrock and Miss Maggie Oppelt were married last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 26 West Superior street. The affair was quiet, but elegant and The SENTINEL sends the happy couple its best wishes.

An uncle of Clarence Cranston, living at Delmoht, Mich., has threatened to commence suit against the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad for \$5,000. He claims Clarence was unjustly put off the train in April last, near Mill Creek, after tendering the conductor 25 cents for his fare, while the official claimed 30 cents. The boy says he landed in a creek on his head and sustained serious injuries.

The New York World says: "As the program announced, Gus Williams brought six car-loads of laughs to the Theatre Cinque, in Harlem, last night. A large audience laughed itself tired over the versatile German comedian's comic-alities in 'Oh! What a Night,' and as those present were wending their way out of the theatre on all sides was heard the expression 'Am I in der way?' This play will be heard at the Temple opera house Friday evening.

WE are exclusive agents for Benjamin's fine summer garments. Sam, Patz & Max.

"Odds and Ends" at the Academy to-night.

The first wool in the market came in to-day.

Hon. and Mrs. O. P. Morgan are at Washington, D. C.

Peter Fikes's horse ran away in Bloomingdale yesterday.

The weather indications for Indiana are slightly warmer, fair weather.

The announcement that "Little Nuggets" is coming is a pleasing one.

Ex-Baggage Master Fred Hollenbeck and wife sails Monday next for Europe.

Laborers are wanted at the water works office. They will have to work in water.

Frank King, agent for the Rive-King concert company was here to-day looking for a date.

"Odds and Ends" matinee at the Academy Saturday. There will be no Friday matinee.

The infant child of Fred Rolpke died yesterday, and was buried this afternoon from the house No. 6 Summit street.

Mr. Lewis Cass Hunter, the popular deputy county treasurer, was yesterday granted a patent on his farm gate by the government.

Sheriff Nelson and Marshal Meyer and their deputies raided tramps yesterday, but only found four near the city. They were locked up.

Mr. A. G. Strain, Frank Frisby and J. Leach left last evening for Indianapolis, to attend the grand lodge of I. O. O. F., which is in session there.

Complaint is made that boys bathe in the gravel pit pond west on the line of Pittsburg road to the annoyance of passengers and residents in the neighborhood.

"Judge Lowry returned from Indiana Monday and was congratulated on all sides by his friends on his nomination," says the Washington correspondent of the Indianapolis Sentinel.

Wm. Pierce and Pearl Thompson were found in illicit embrace in a room at No. 24 East Main street, and Capt. Diehl accepted bail. They paid \$14 each at police court this morning.

C. M. Jones, R. B. Rosington, A. H. W. Kiser and E. G. Anderson were at Rome City yesterday attending the annual meeting of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Mutual Benefit association.

The wedding of George Frank Shutt and Miss Benedict, of Portland, has been indefinitely postponed. Notice to that effect was received in this city. Miss Benedict was formerly a conservatory pupil.

Mr. P. D. Smyser's fine bay horse ran away at the south depot last night and the vehicle came near whirling into Harmon's restaurant. Mr. Smyser and Willis Bash were spilled out, but were not injured.

The Allen County Gun club will hold a one day tournament at White range on Friday, May 28. The national rules will govern all contests, and professionals will be barred. An entrance fee of \$2 is charged and cash prizes are offered.

Building permits have been allowed to Wm. J. Barr to erect a frame barn on lot 105 Williams avenue, to cost \$75, and to Henry Israel, to construct a wagon shed on lot 199, Ewing & Noll's addition, to cost \$25.

Mrs. D. D. Spurrier and Mrs. C. Cran left Monday for Indianapolis to attend the convention of the Daughters of Rebekah of I. O. O. F., which met in the Grand lodge hall yesterday. Mrs. Spurrier is warden of the state society.

The Highland Baptist church has called a council of delegates from all the Baptist churches in the Fort Wayne association to meet with them on May 20, at 2 p. m., to ordain Rev. Mr. Bragg, their pastor, in the work of the gospel ministry.

Samuel F. Holloper and Emma E. Fry, E. H. Gerndon and Mary Meyer, George Grigsby and Flora Knight, Oscar Wubrock and Agnes B. Oppelt, E. J. Daugherty and Mattie Pratt, Michael L. Laner and Amelia F. Grove, Charles H. Winkler and Catherine Stall have been licensed to wed.

The German Catholic Central union of the United States, comprising 375 societies, hold a general convention at Toledo, September 5. Peter J. Mettler, formerly of this city, is a member of the arrangement committee. In all probability the Catholic Knights of America will hold their state council at the same time, in which event the two societies will unite in the grand parade, which is to take place on Monday, September 6.

At the annual meeting of the Mutual Benefit association of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, at Rome City, yesterday, the following officers were elected: President, W. H. McCullough, Grand Rapids; first vice-president, J. W. Hunter, Fort Wayne; second vice-president, S. B. Gage, Kalamazoo; third vice president, R. H. Harrison, Fort Wayne; secretary, C. M. Jones, Fort Wayne; treasurer, R. B. Rosington, Fort Wayne; executive committee, C. D. Mohr, Grand Rapids; J. K. McCracken, J. T. Leach, S. C. Henderson, Fort Wayne, and W. S. McCormick, Grand Rapids.

500 Boys' Blue, Gray and Brown Suits, Indigo colors, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Sam, Patz & Max.

Auditor Greibel sues Wm. Geary jr. for \$2,000.

Frank Schell left to-day for Kansas City and other western points on a prospecting tour.

Mr. Mart Fay, the commission merchant, is spending a few days in Cincinnati on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Daugherty and Walter M. Hodge, of St. Louis, attended the Daugherty-Pratt nuptials.

Gottlieb Kramer and Sophia Felger, George Hohnhaus and Minnie Engleking, Debert Sthair and Alice Van Allen have been licensed to wed.

Leopold Wolf, the Broadway butcher, has returned from Lansing, Mich., where he again married his wife, Mrs. Bessie Wolf. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf have two pretty babies and are living happily again.

Benjamin Taylor, John Kelly, Robert Robinson, John Smith, George Smith and Tom Overly were fined \$18 each for drunkenness by the mayor this morning. Taylor, Kelly and Overly went to jail in default of cash. The others paid.

Miss Eta Bittie, a charming young lady, of Irvington, Ind., who visited Miss Grace Hayden here last summer, was married to-day at the above place, to a wealthy young farmer, of Waynetown, Ind. The young couple will make their future home in Waynetown.

In a meeting of the clothing salesmen and merchant tailors at the circuit court room last evening, resolutions were adopted thanking the Knights of Labor for the interest taken by them in their cause and their unanimous endorsement of the salesmen's petition to close the stores at 8 o'clock.

Mr. C. Trenkley has been annoyed by youthful females who persist in attaching themselves to his floral decorations. Mrs. Trenkley has for a number of years labored to cultivate some valuable plants, and the indignation at the depredations of the youngsters knows no bounds. They must be careful, as on their next onslaught they will fare badly.

At a joint meeting of all the assemblies of the Knights of Labor of this city, last evening, resolutions were passed endorsing the clothing salesmen and merchant tailors in their endeavors to have all the stores in their line to close at six o'clock, excepting Saturdays. The clerks being laboring men, as well as others, the Knights naturally take an interest in their cause.

There was a meeting of the clothing clerks and their employers last evening in the circuit court room. The meeting, like all preceding ones, was enthusiastic. It is hoped by all concerned that the movement will soon be successful. All clothing merchants and merchant tailors, with the exception of one clothier, have signed the agreement, and the stores will probably be kept open until he signs.

STRICKEN DOWN.

Wm. Chamberlain Drops With Apoplexy at His Desk.

Mr. Wm. Chamberlain was stricken with apoplexy at his desk in Supt. C. D. Law's office shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Chamberlain was very fleshy and the appearance of the gentleman seemed to indicate a predisposition to the disease that overtook him. He has lived here all his life and every one knew and liked Billy Chamberlain, whose affliction will be mourned by a host of friends.

At last accounts Mr. Chamberlain was rallying and he may recover.

MASON LONG.

The Fort Wayne Evangelist out in Iowa.

The Des Moines Lender. Mason Long, the reformed gambler, spoke to quite a crowd of people in front of the court house last evening. His chief topic was the alleged evils of dancing. He took up the customary collection and sold a number of copies of his book. Mr. Long's drawing card is a trio of well trained voices. These gentlemen sing well known secular and sacred songs, and sing them so well that the crowd braves the contribution box and stays on the show. Mr. Long is a very good talker, but he seems to entertain very peculiar ideas of the forces that rule the social fabric.

A gentleman named Phillips, who served with the reformed gambler, Mason Long, in the 112th Illinois infantry, was found at the Kirkwood last evening. He assured a reporter that he knew Mr. Long in the army, that he was a good soldier but an inveterate gambler, who generally gathered in his comrade's wealth through the delusive game of chuck-a-luck and other seductive games. Since the war Mr. Phillips states that Mason Long has sincerely repented of his sinfulness and reformed. His old comrade in arms believes Mr. Long to be honorable in his present professions of good, and cheerfully recommends him as a generous-hearted, intelligent and Christian gentleman.

G. A. R. Suits, Indigo colors, \$3.60 and \$4.25. Sam, Patz & Max.

THREE OF 'EM.
Broadway has a Few Lively Runaways.

Louis Rastetter's carriage horse ran away on Broadway this morning and smashed the carriage, hanging the top on a lamp post at the Pittsburg railroad. The horse then made a bee line for Leykauf's bakery and would have gone into that place but for the running gears of the carriage which were still attached to the horse, catching on a shade tree. This circus frightened Leykauf's horse and Fleischmann's yeast cart horse and they dashed north on Broadway. Leykauf's horse stopped at his usual oat box, and Joe Erwin, of The SENTINEL, stopped Fleischmann's steed and shut off the possibility of planting yeast about town and swelling the municipality. Altogether, Broadway presented a lively appearance this morning.

At the convention of the Daughters of Rebekah, at Indianapolis, yesterday, Mrs. Malinda Spurrier, of this city, was chosen secretary. The report of the Colfax monument committee was read. It showed that up to date \$2,088 has been subscribed to the fund. A constitution for the government of the convention was adopted, and a resolution was adopted requesting the grand lodge, I. O. O. F., to instruct its representatives to the sovereign grand lodge to ask that body to prepare a funeral ceremony to be used at the burial of Daughters of Rebekah.

An Artistic Piece of Work.

Wm. Yergens, jr., has just finished painting his father's residence, and the taste and workmanship displayed in the execution of the work has elicited only words of commendation and praise. Who the artist was, was not hard to tell, as was remarked by one observer: "Why you can see Yergens' hand in that job; the mixing of the colors shows plainly who did the work. I am a painter myself, but I give way to Yergens as a color mixer, and I would actually give him \$25 to mix my colors." As a wall paper decorator he can't be beat either. He is selling off his present stock of wall paper at 10 per cent. below former prices to get ready to move to more spacious quarters. When you contemplate papering or painting consult Wm. Yergens, jr., 136 Broadway, and you will never regret it.

Heavy Failure.

Great bankrupt sale of Clothing, commencing Thursday, May 20, at 3 o'clock p. m. in room No. 3, Keystone block. This stock is from a large clothing factory which recently failed in New York, and must be sold to satisfy the creditors. Do not miss this rare opportunity to secure the greatest bargains in clothing ever offered. 12-4-tf-w-lt

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Have removed their tailoring establishment to No. 12 West Berry street where they have had an elegant room fitted up especially for their business. Having laid in a new and elegant line of goods they invite the patronage of those in need of fine clothing. They have been in business in this city for a score of years and no garment is allowed to leave their store unless it is perfectly satisfactory.

Papies 35c a dozen at the City Green House. 23-1f

Butter and Eggs Lower.

Fresh Eggs 9c per dozen.
Now Grass Butter 12c.
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Orange Blossoms.

The nuptials of Miss Mattie Pratt, of this city, and Mr. E. J. Daugherty, of Indianapolis, were celebrated at the Cathedral this morning by Vicar General J. H. Brammer, in the presence of several hundred of the immediate friends of the bride, comprising the wealth, fashion and culture of our people. The ceremony was appointed for 10 o'clock, but another couple held the boards until 10:15, so that the bridal procession, to the happy strains of the wedding march, did not appear until 10:30. All eyes were bent, of course, upon the beautiful bride, who never looked more charming than she did upon this occasion, leaning on the arm of her manly betrothed. The beautifully solemn and impressive services of the Roman Catholic ritual consumed forty minutes, after which the bridal party took carriages for the residence of Judge Pratt, No. 20 Douglas avenue, where the high contracting parties held an informal reception. The bride was attired in a lead colored traveling dress with English hat and feathers to match.

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